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For: DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING

APPARATUS, DIGITAL SIGNAL

PROCESSING METHOD, INFORMATION : CENTER, AND DATA DELIVERY SYSTEM :

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 6, 2010, finally rejecting claims 1, 3, 6-8, 10, 11, 13, 16, 17 and 29-33, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows: